



Legislative Building

Washington State Legislature

Olympia, WA 98504-0600

April 9, 2020

The Honorable Jay Inslee
Governor
State of Washington
Legislative Building
Olympia WA 98504

Dear Governor Inslee:

We are in receipt of your letter dated April 2, 2020 requesting extension of the statutory waivers and suspensions ordered in Proclamations 20-06, 20-10, 20-16, 20-17, and 20-18, in response to the ongoing COVID-19 State of Emergency.

Given the vulnerability of the population in long-term care, we agree that strict compliance with the specific statutory obligations and limitations cited in these proclamations would prevent, hinder, or delay action that is necessary in coping with the COVID-19 State of Emergency.

Pursuant to RCW 43.06.220(4), we hereby extend the statutory waivers and suspensions cited in these proclamations until the termination of the COVID-19 State of Emergency or May 9, 2020, whichever occurs first.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Andy Billig".

ANDY BILLIG
Senate Majority Leader

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mark Schoesler".

MARK SCHOESLER
Senate Minority Leader

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Laurie Jinkins".

LAURIE JINKINS
Speaker of the House

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "J.T. Wilcox".

J.T. WILCOX
House Minority Leader